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This is the first of, hopefully, many dialogues from our station. This DUTY will be covered in the following months by myself and our music directors, Charlie Kimzey and Karen Kettering. Our station's programming is primarily, but not exclusively, progressive. By progressive, I mean all the music that is too much of a risk to be programmed regularly on most AOR stations, such as independents, imports, locals, hardcore, reggae, and rockabilly. It is our responsibility as college stations to support THIS kind of music rather than the REPETITIVE, MINDLESS DRILL being played to monotony on most commercial radio. Mean while back at the station ... we are in the process of organizing a weekly VIDEO night at our newly opened student commons. As for LIVE music recently saw Gun club & Crippled Pilgrims at the 9:30 in DC. Also saw the Dream Syndicate at the 9:30 on my Birthday. Talked with the band and watched them do "Ghostbusters" as the encore. Local BANDS with VINYL The DADS, Ten-Ten, The Good Guys, Death Piggy, and the Ortotonics (Mixed by THE Fred Frith). Personal faves on Vinyl THE CULT, The Gun Club, Hoodoo Gurus, and BLOODY MANNEQUIN ORCH.

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